

Public Service Grants Funded by the  
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program  
July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012  
Total funding is \$591,290

**A Wider Circle, Inc.** \$25,200  
**“Neighbor-to-Neighbor”**

A Wider Circle is requesting support to expand their Neighbor-to-Neighbor Program to provide urgently-needed, beds, dressers, cribs, and more to children and adults in Montgomery County. In addition to furnishing the homes of our most vulnerable neighbors, they also invite every adult who comes in for an appointment to attend their evening Life-Skills and Professional Development Series. The Countywide program will benefit an estimated 5,000 people.

**Asian American LEAD: Leadership, Education** \$37,800  
**and Development for Youth & Family**  
**“Middle School Program”**

Fund the position of a middle school program coordinator to provide academic enrichment activities, and tutoring to low-income Asian American youth in the Wheaton/Silver Spring areas of Montgomery County. The Kennedy, Wheaton and Einstein school clusters program will benefit an estimated 100 students.

**Caribbean Help Center, Inc** \$37,800  
**“Caribbean Help Center Information and Referral Services”**

Expand their information and referral services to assist low income immigrants with limited English proficiency, primarily those who speak French or Creole. The Countywide program will benefit an estimated 800 people.

**Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Washington** \$17,590  
**“Montgomery County Family Center”**

Continue to provide emergency assistance to prevent residents from being evicted or to prevent utility cutoffs. The Countywide program will benefit an estimated 12 households.

**College Tracks, Inc.** \$37,800  
**“College Tracks Program at Wheaton High School”**

Continue the CollegeTracks program at Wheaton High School, where they serve students at risk of not attending or succeeding in college because they are not knowledgeable about the higher education system. This is a contract extension because this was a qualifying project within a Focused Neighborhood Assistance area. An estimated 450 households will benefit.

**Community Ministries of Rockville, Inc.** \$37,800  
**“Mansfield Kaseman Health Clinic”**

Provide medical care to uninsured residents of Montgomery County at the Mansfield Kaseman Health Clinic. pay for a portion of the medical director/physician, the clinic director, medical assistant and laboratory costs. An estimated 2,000 people will benefit.

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| <b>Germantown Cultural Arts Center, Inc. dba,<br/>Black Rock Center for the Arts<br/>“Arts and Language”</b><br>Support a comprehensive after-school program that utilizes instruction in playwriting and theatre production to improve reading, writing, and public speaking proficiencies in middle school students in Germantown. An estimated 44 students will benefit.             | \$16,800 |
| <b>Interfaith Works. Inc.<br/>“Project LEAD”</b><br>Continue to provide vocational services to low-wage earners in community sites that serve low-income residents of the County, including Interfaith Works’ Interfaith Clothing Center. The Countywide program will benefit an estimated 187 people.  | \$29,400 |
| <b>Latino Economic Development Corporation of Washington, DC<br/>“Small Business Development and Micro-loan Program”</b><br>Expand their small business micro-loan program with an additional loan officer. This will allow LEDC to increase the number of small business loans. The Countywide program will benefit an estimated 35 people.  | \$31,920 |
| <b>Liberty’s Promise, Inc.<br/>“Enriching the Lives of Immigrant Youth”</b><br>Continue an after-school program of civic engagement and a professional internship program in partnership with Wheaton High School. This is a contract extension because this was a qualifying project within a Focused Neighborhood Assistance area. The program will benefit an estimated 50 students. | \$37,800 |
| <b>Manna Food Center, Inc.<br/>“Farm to Food Bank”</b><br>Purchase locally grown fruits and vegetables from area farms, orchards and farmers’ markets at wholesale prices to provide low income families with fresh produce. The program will benefit an estimated 3,000 people.  | \$36,120 |
| <b>Ministries United Silver Spring/Takoma Park, Inc.<br/>“Housing and Utilities in Lower Silver Spring/Takoma Park is a MUST”</b><br>Provide utility and housing assistance to eligible clients in the zip codes of 20901, 20910 and 20912. An estimated 40 households will benefit.  | \$36,590 |
| <b>Mobile Medical Care, Inc.<br/>“Specialty Care Coordination for the Uninsured”</b><br>Support a part-time Specialty Care Coordinator to schedule appointments for the uninsured, low-income and homeless Montgomery County residents. The program will benefit an estimated 1,000 people.   | \$37,800 |

**Montgomery County Coalition for the Homeless** \$37,800  
**“Creative Housing Initiative Pilot Project (CHIPP)”**

Continue supporting a case manager position for the CHIPP permanent supportive housing program. The case manager provides supportive services to all CHIPP participants and assists them in maintaining housing stability, life skills, obtaining benefits and accessing health services. The Countywide program will benefit an estimated 16 people.

**Montgomery County MD Delta Alumnae Foundation, Inc.** \$37,800  
**“Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Saturday Academy”**

Provide alternative paths to learning that will interest and encourage students to gain more knowledge about science, technology, engineering and mathematics. The program will benefit an estimated 50 households.

**Prison Outreach Ministry, Inc.** \$37,800  
**“Welcome Home Reentry Program”**

Support a staff position to link persons returning to the community after incarceration, with services necessary to reentry. The program will benefit an estimated 100 people.

**Sunflower Bakery** \$13,290  
**“Expansion of Sunflower Bakery Program”**

Training eight additional individuals with development or cognitive disabilities in Sunflower Bakery’s inclusive on-the-job training program in 2012 over a 12-month period. The funding will partially support training personnel (including professional chefs and bakery assistants), ingredients, supplies, curriculum updates, and operations. The program will benefit an estimated eight people.

**Washington Youth Foundation** \$31,080  
**“Professional Youth Initiative Project”**

Continue a volunteer training and work program and a parent training program to educate parents with the skills and knowledge to support their children’s volunteer work and internship program. The Countywide program will benefit an estimated 271 people.

**Community Ministries of Rockville** \$13,100  
**“Elderly Ministries Program”**

Funds will support administrative expenses associated with providing case management to senior citizens and frail elderly residents of the City of Rockville. This service will assist approximately 50 individuals.